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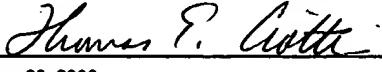
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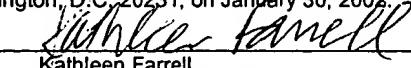
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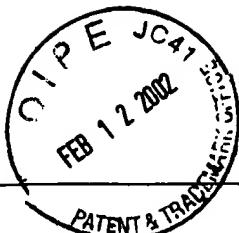
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The documents numbered 2, 12, 55 and 60 on the attached Form PTO-1449 were cited in an European Search Report mailed on completed on November 13, 2001 (copy attached) directed to a counterpart international application.

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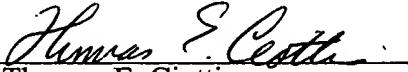
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